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Editorial

### Conflict Confirmed—A Follow-up

Nearly this entire front page and that of two other editions were devoted to coverage of a conflict-of-interest case last summer. The Advocate's news coverage and editorial comment on the

story won it an honorable mention in the General Excellence-Special Award category of the New England Press Association 1971 Better Newspaper Contest.



Awarded First Prize for Spot News in the New England Press Association's annual newspaper contest was this photo of an accident victim being comforted by a passerby on Mystic st. The photo



Third Place in the Sports Photography category was won by this photo taken by Advocate staff photographer Mike Robinson during the final seconds of the state high school hockey championship

game last March. Over 250 weekly and small daily newspapers are members of the New England Press Association which annually sponsors a Better Newspaper Contest. (Staff Photo)

### Town Counsel Says Wallace In Conflict, Contract Nullified



Concentration

#### Cherry Sheet Arrives

No Action Yet On Tax Rate Pending A Legislative Vote



### Arts-Crafts

Janet Morrissey and Debbie Zachka decorate felt belts at the Arts and Crafts program at Hardy School sponsored by the Arlington Recreation Department held Saturday mornings. (Staff Photo)

### Police Investigate

## Number of Cars Entered; More Windows Are Broken

A number of cars, including 15 from one apartment house were reported entered last week.

At the same time, windows are being broken throughout the town, in some cases by unknown foreign objects and in other cases reportedly by BB's and ball bearings.

Fifteen cars were reported entered at an apartment house at 12 Colonial Village dr., Friday morning.

On the same day, a car was reported entered and the glove compartment ransacked at 21 Westminster ave. Another car was reported entered on Jan 21 at 33 Westminster ave. Nothing was reported missing at either address.

Also on the same day, a car was reported entered at 11 Colonial Village dr., while another was reported entered at 118 Lowell st. A registration was reported missing in the latter instance.

A pair of ski boots were reported taken from a car at 11 Colonial dr. on the same day while another car was reported entered at 40 Westminster ave. and a registration taken.

Skis were reported taken from a car at 258 Mass. ave. on Jan. 21, while a registration was reported taken from a car at 3 Colonial Village dr.

Another pair of skis were reported taken from a car parked at Colonial Village dr., Jan. 21.

On Jan. 23, a car was reported entered at 13 Lowell st. and the left front window broken by a white steel ball bearing. The following day, window brushes and tools were reported taken from a car at 178 Mystic st.

On Jan. 19, two stones were reported thrown through a window at 43 Cutter Hill rd. while a large plate glass window and a door window were reported broken at 795 Mass. ave., Jan. 20.

Also on Jan. 20, a number of cigarettes and an amount of food were reported taken from a canteen truck parked at 63 Bow st.

A BB hole was reported in a front window at 72 Oakland st., Jan. 20. Another BB hole was reported at 47 Lockeland ave. the following day.

Another window was reported broken, this time at 88 Beacon st., on the same day by an object thrown from the street.

The following day windows were reported broken by pellets at 418 Mass. ave. and at 318 and 208 Mystic st.

A front door window was reported broken by a ball-bearing at 418 Mass. ave., Jan. 23. Meanwhile, a number of breaks were also reported during the past week.

A sum of money was reported taken from an apartment at 120 Mass. ave., Jan. 20, while a television set, a radio, records, a watch and coat were reported taken from 44 Marathon st., Jan. 21.

On the same day, a home was entered at 85 Paul Revere rd. and a stereo reported missing.

A coin machine was reported at 224 Mass. ave., Jan. 22 and money taken.

On Jan. 24, an adding machine was reported taken from 1 Park Avenue Extension.

### March Meeting

## Town Warrant Has 107 Articles

A total of 107 articles will be acted on when the Annual Town Meeting begins next month. This figure is far short of the record-shattering 142 that were acted on a year ago.

Members will be called on early in the meeting, most likely at the first session, to take action on several requested changes in the classification plan calling for salary increases for fire, police and town employees.

Four articles request six percent pay increases of varying degrees.

One calls for a six percent annual salary increase for all employees with the exception of fire, police and librarians.

There are two separate articles requesting six percent increase for fire and police, and another request for a six percent increase for police only.

Under another article a request has been submitted to separate the salary schedule of the fire and police departments.

A 4.5 percent increase in salary is requested for all employees including merit increases for department heads in the Town Manager's department.

Another article would call for a seven percent salary hike for all employees except fire, police and librarians.

Still another request for a change in the classification plan would give police officers

## Addition Sought For Junior High

Building facilities for secondary education in Arlington will be the subject of several warrant articles and reports at the Annual Town Meeting. Immediate concern is focused upon the Junior High School West which has been evaluated in the Booz-Allen and Hamilton Report On Public School Facilities as being substandard in terms of its educational suitability and its overall condition.

A major addition and renovation to the present structure is proposed to: accommodate the increased number of students and to eliminate inefficient and inadequate conditions. The Junior High School West was built in three stages, 1921, 1930 and in 1950 a gymnasium was added.

In order to give the Town Meeting flexibility in deciding how to solve the problems at the West, the Permanent Building Committee is presenting the Town Meeting with a unique choice. There are two warrant articles dealing with the West. One would appropriate funds for completing architectural working drawings and specifications, and would require a majority vote. The other would authorize the town to borrow the funds for the entire project, including construction, fees, furnishing, equipment, etc. and would require a two-thirds vote.

Each approach is supported by sound arguments that will be developed between now and Town Meeting. At that time, the Permanent Building Committee will make a recommendation between these two approaches.

The building committee feels that basic to the architectural and educational specifications of the Junior High School West is a learning resource center, the heart of the instructional program, which accommodates library services, audio-visual equipment and various other media equipment for instructional purposes.

The addition is designed to fit into the slope

of the hill at the front of the present building.

Because both the projected enrollments and the curriculum is being revised at the High School, the Permanent Building Committee will not offer any warrant articles at this time, but rather issue an interim report. This report will give the progress of the studies. The most salient features are a downward revision in projected numbers of students and an indication that Building "A" can be rehabilitated as part of a total expansion program.

The Junior High East will be the subject of an article which will request funds for preliminary plans to update that school.

## Fire Damages Pessotti Home On Edmund Rd.

Heavy smoke caused considerable damage throughout a home at 48 Edmund rd. during a fire there late Saturday afternoon.

The fire, apparently caused by a faulty electrical circuit, broke out under the living room floor and extended to the walls and basement ceiling, according to fire department reports.

The smoke was so thick that firefighters had to use masks to enter the house owned by Mr. and Mrs. George Pessotti. The alarm was struck at 5:48 p.m. and the last apparatus didn't return to quarters until 7:11 p.m.

The Saturday fire was the second one that week at that house. Both apparently were caused by electrical trouble. On Thursday a smaller fire had been extinguished by the department.

The firefighters were under the command of Deputy Chief Irving Proctor.

On Tuesday, January 18, a working fire at the rear of 79 Mystic st. heavily damaged sheds housing equipment belonging to the Peter F. Rossi Construction Co.

The fire broke out at 8:02 p.m. and for a time threatened the houses on Mystic st. An additional engine company was summoned by Deputy Chief Proctor to assist.

Five hose lines were put into operation and the apparatus was tied up for over two hours. Cause of the blaze is under investigation.

## New Rubbish Fee To Begin Tuesday

A new rubbish collection operation will go into effect, February 1, with fees charged to a number of locations where they were not charged before.

As a result, Town Manager Donald R. Marquis has sent out the following letter to those locations included in the new operation.

On July 1, 1971 the new state air pollution regulations took effect. As a result of these regulations most incinerators in the town are no longer usable and the town must now collect rubbish from apartment houses, commercial establishments and institutional buildings. To do this the town has had to add an additional rubbish route and crew.

To cover the cost of this new service the town will charge all business establishments, i.e., commercial business, apartment houses with four (4) apartments or more, nursing homes, medical buildings, Symmes Hospital, the Arlington Housing Authority, U.S. post offices, etc., for the cost of rubbish collection.

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A number of zoning requests are included among the 107 articles in the Warrant.

One would create a new zone to be known as Hospital Districts, while another would include in the Hospital District an area now included in Residence A on Summer st.

Another zoning request would be relative to off-street parking in Residence A and B districts.

Other zoning articles include definition of apartment house, minimum lot size and frontage, and where an apartment house might be constructed.

Also included on the Warrant are articles seeking five week vacations for employees who have served for 20 years in one instance and 25 in another.

Three articles include requests for increases in retirement and disability benefits.

A request in the Warrant also calls for appropriation for the sum of \$16,296 as the town's share in connection with the Minuteman Regional School.

The Town Meeting will be asked to express its opinion relative to the Arlington Housing Authority to locate a housing for the elderly development at Summer st. and Hospital rd. under another article. Still another article

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## Collins' Corner

by Leonard Collins



### Bringing Up Grindstones

The word "moonlighting" has been associated with many jobs, and especially those who are commonly known as our municipal employees and to the writer this is fine, and they show an interest in the welfare of their families. Maybe we don't pay them enough, but the fact remains one can drop into many places of business and see firemen, policemen, mail carriers, school teachers, and so many more doing a little bit of extra work after their routine duties are finished.

They tend bar, drive trucks, paint houses, officiate at sports events, and tutor kids that need a little bit of prodding to get them set to go on to higher institutions of learning. These folks, to the writer, make fine citizens and those who know them will testify this is true.

Now we come back to the pure amateurs, and they are the ones that really enjoy that bit of moonlighting that is known as their extracurricular activities. This photo of the fine looking young man is one of our firefighters, in our town, and his name is Donald Hourihan. There is a book in our library entitled "Fantastic Folklore and Fact," written by Edward Rowe Snow, and he tells about a ship that was wrecked well over 100 years ago off the coast of the Fifth Cliff in Scituate. It was a ship that was loaded in Canada in the year 1830, and they met a terrible storm off Boston Harbor, and it was battered off the rocks and sunk, but all the crew were saved. The name of this ship, loaded with grindstones, was never known.

Donald Hourihan is a guy who loves to go down in the bottom of the seas on his off hours and look around, with his fin, flippers, and snorkel. Well, in one of his many sojourns down in the murky deep he came across this ship, and being a bit curious he looked it over, and found that its cargo was that of grindstones.

Its destination was never known but Donald, even though it was infested with sharks, brought a large grindstone to the surface, and that was in the summer of 1966. It seems that a storm around Labor Day exposed these grindstones, and he feels there are about a dozen more buried down in the bottom of the sunken ship. The location is about 200 feet off the low tide mark, in a direct line with a fence that separates the Fourth Cliff radar property from the residential area, and many folks reading this, who summer around that area, may know the location.

Off that territory are the remains of five other ships, and lately a diver came up with the anchor of one of these tragic vessels. So if an Arlingtonian is in need of a grindstone or two, contact Donald Hourihan, and maybe he can produce.

Donald's dad is a former member of our Police Department, recently retired and fondly known to all as Inspector "Nipper" John Hourihan. And so to a fellow that "gets claustrophobia" when taking a shower, a tip of my hat to the courageous gents that go down in the sea looking for sharks and ships. So you see all our firefighters do not necessarily climb ladders.

So now after a nice shave, and shower, a story comes to mind about a deep sea driver that was way down in the briny deep and saw another swimmer cruising around with just a pair of trunks. He swam over and said, "Hey, here I spent a couple of hundred bucks for all my equipment, and here you are without any such paraphernalia. How come?"

"Oh," said the other, "I'm not swimming, I'm drowning."

And so, patient readers, a quip like this killed vaudeville, and besides there is a very full moon this evening.

### Calendar

Saturday, Jan. 29  
Las Vegas Night, St. Camillus church hall,  
8:30 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 30  
Philharmonic Society Family Concert, 3  
p.m., Arlington High School Auditorium.  
MDC Rink dedication, 10 a.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 2  
Health services meeting, sponsored by  
League of Women Voters, Fox Library, 8p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 3  
Church Women United, Pleasant Street  
Congregational Church, 9:30 a.m.  
Town Meeting Association, Fox Library, 8  
p.m.

### Building Permits

Fourteen building permits were issued by the Town of Arlington during the month of December.

Signs, Williams Sign Erec., 1039 Mass. ave., and Mobeco Janedy Sign Co., 1040 Mass. ave.

Alterations or additions to dwellings, G. Rankine, 232 Pleasant st.; Peter Fisk, 111 Webster st.; Edward Davenport, 179 Washington st.; M. Caliendo, 1520 Mass. ave.; A. D. Donheiser, 67 Churchill ave.; Mr. Bourgeois, 69 Woodside lane; and V. R. Gagosian Co., 5 Osceola path.

Demolition of dwelling, John Duane, 983 Mass. ave.; reroof dwelling, F. A. Belair, 114 Milton st.; aluminum siding, B. Haloon, 34 Magnolia st.; carport, Howard Weller, 7 Park circ.; and swimming pool, Eugene Hurley, 83 Morningside dr.

## Letters To The Advocate

Letters to The Editor are welcomed by The Arlington Advocate on any matter of public interest, but they must be limited to 250 words or two typed pages double-spaced. All letters must be signed, but names may be withheld on request.

### Retraction

#### TO THE EDITOR:

Reference is made to my previous letter which appeared in the January 13, 1972, publication of the Arlington Advocate.

Several phone calls from parents indicate the basic theme of my message, "parents, let us look to ourselves in regard to the current conditions and problems prevalent at Arlington High School" was generally well received.

To support my contention, relative to attitudes and behavior of youth beginning at home, I illustrated a situation which confronted my husband and I, emphasizing the fact that we were less than responsible parents for not pursuing the issue.

Upon further reflection and recognizing that my reference to the use of "four letter words" could have been misinterpreted, I wish to make crystal clear that my intent was not to insinuate that vulgarity was used, but rather language, common to many adults and youth in conversation.

I appeal to all parents to take a good, honest look at ourselves as I have done relative to my sensitivity and respect for those people (teachers and other responsible youth leaders) who mold the character of our children in so many ways.

Believe me, it was not my intent to offend anyone and if I have done so I sincerely regret my imprudent choice of words.

Very truly yours,  
(Mrs.) Ruth A. Faulkner  
130 Gray st.

Editor's Note: The editor contacted Mrs. Faulkner this week concerning her previous letter which she was pleased to clarify for the benefit of our readers. As noted above, there was no intention on her part or that of the newspaper to cause embarrassment or make any allegations against any individual. Though the letter mentioned no one by name, we sincerely regret that anyone might have felt singled out since it is not the purpose of this forum to offend any individual, only to see that all sides of a public question are aired.

### Clarifies Personnel

#### TO THE EDITOR:

It has been brought to my attention that your article on the proposed integration of Town and School pay plans contained language which might be construed as characterizing Arlington's school nurses as "non-professional personnel."

While your article does not attribute such a statement to me as Chairman of the Article 131 Committee, I am pleased to correct the record for your readers.

I told the School Committee during the meeting described in your article that since school nurses enjoy professional status under rulings of the Massachusetts Labor Relations Commission and since they are now represented by the Arlington Teachers Association, they were not included in my proposal.

Warren H. Pyle  
9 Windermere pk

### Questions Ambition

#### TO THE EDITOR:

I don't understand the position "Mat" has taken in regards to John Billafer.

There comes a time when one must differentiate between political and professional positions.

I do agree unequivocally with you that John Billafer is energetic, progressive and dedicated. But he is also ambitious. Ambition is a good quality when it is controlled but ambition can also distort our outlook and behavior and because of this ambition we can project ourselves to be something we are not.

Town Problems for which a Selectman must address himself to requires a specific ability.

Financial Problems for which the town treasurer must address himself to requires another type of specific ability.

I can't help but wonder what motivates a person to step so far out of his own field of endeavor before his term as Selectman has expired to seek a new unrelated position.

Sincerely,  
James H. Evans  
60 Fountain rd.

### End Liberties

#### TO THE EDITOR:

I am writing in response to the recent article in the Jan. 6 and 13th edition of the Arlington Advocate. As former students we think the situation at AHS has been grossly exaggerated by a certain school committee member.

Admittedly, conditions have changed since our H.S. days but one must realize that school committee chose to give the students open-campus they took on the full responsibility for the subsequent reactions of the students. It is unfair to blame the current administration for a condition which they had no hand in forming.

The problem at AHS is the apparent overcrowding, lack of student responsibility and the extreme disregard for property in the school by the students. It is a known fact that the recent changes in policy have created the majority of high school's problems.

Therefore we recommend that the school committee phase OUT certain liberties including smoking, dress code and freedom in the building. Also existing rules should be enforced. In conclusion there is a problem at AHS but the school committee passing the buck is no way to solve the problem.

Two N.M.H. students  
(AHS '71)

### Histories Needed

#### TO THE EDITOR:

"Collins Corner" continues to be the outstanding feature of The Advocate as far as I am concerned. Last week's column on Youth of Today was, as usual, well done and his O. Henry twist removed it far from just plain preaching. The advice in his final words, however, "go back and read a bit of local history" is pretty close to, impossible to follow.

Histories of Arlington are difficult to come by. There are three, as you know: "Arlington Past and Present" by Charles S. Parker who was once editor and owner of The Advocate; "History of Arlington" by William Cutter and "West Cambridge on the Nineteenth of April, 1775" by Reverend Samuel Abbot Smith. Another, "History of Cambridge" by Lucius Paige, is helpful. At most, only one copy of each is available at Robbins Library for general circulation.

I make this point because the Arlington Bi-Centennial Planning Committee has been unable to get copies of these Arlington histories which will greatly facilitate our work.

If any Advocate reader can help us with this problem, by loan, gift, or otherwise, we shall indeed be grateful. We can better commemorate Menotomy's part at the birth of this nation, as well as the continuing contributions of West Cambridge and Arlington since, if we have ready access to the history books we need.

Sincerely,  
Thomas F. Turnan, Chairman  
Arlington Bi-Centennial  
Planning Committee

### Backs ID Cards

#### TO THE EDITOR:

I read the new ideas the school committee came up with for the freshly converted Arlington High School prison. Some of them are good but others no way.

I am a freshman at AHS and I think the best idea is the identification-cards. And teachers should take attendance. A lot of them don't. If they did there would be no reason to go back to home room after last period.

Also I think there should be some kind of supervisin in the free option cafeteria study. I think that store thing is ridiculous. The snack bar in the cafe through periods 1-4 seems like a good idea but I wouldn't go as the only studies I have are 5th period and the only option is going to the library or to study a 1 1/2 hour study 3 days a week. The revolving classes and open campus should be established.

Sincerely Yours,  
Kevin Donovan

### Questions Publicity

#### TO THE EDITOR:

I am a 1971 graduate of Arlington High School and I am now attending preparatory school in western Massachusetts. Because I was home this past weekend I became aware of what is supposedly happening at the high school.

I feel that the incidents mentioned are highly exaggerated. Things of the same nature occurred when I was a senior at Arlington High and they were never publicized. Why all the publicity now? Perhaps because it's an election year?

Some students have claimed that the condition of the high school is responsible for all that is happening. Here is a story that is worth being publicized. Last year when students complained about the condition of the high school to the school committee no improvements were made. When the school committee proposed to tour the building out came the paint brushes before they discovered the true conditions. A sad but true story isn't it?

A concerned graduate,  
William Wagner  
Williston Academy

### Letters Discussed

#### TO THE EDITOR:

The Arlington Peace Action Committee spent considerable time at a recent meeting, discussing the relative merits of two letters to the editor of The Arlington Advocate.

Mr. Torra's thoughtful and thought-provoking letter of Dec. 30, with its careful concern for facts long forgotten by many of us was described as emotional in Rev. Bowab's letter of Jan. 6. We felt that compassionate was a better word, especially as concerned the Southeast Asians.

Rev. Bowab called for a rational approach to the matter, but when the letters were compared, Mr. Torra's was the only one that seemed to us to fit that category. Paragraph followed paragraph in sequence and well documented. We kept referring to Rev. Bowab's letter and found sentence after sentence having little to do with the question of war let alone an answer to Mr. Torra's letter.

Good moral and ethical behavior is a goal for us to work towards in choosing our political leaders.

These are traits we should be able to expect in our religious leaders. The fact is that, with few exceptions, they have abdicated their right to be called religious leaders.

A National Ecumenical Meeting of leaders of all faiths, which took place in Kansas, Jan. 13-19, 1972, recognized this fact, and the members have committed themselves to taking on their natural roles by first mobilizing public opinion against this war and by educating the people to the ways the President is deceiving us as far as ending the war is concerned.

If the conduct of this particular tragedy is not "patently contrary to natural law," then we do not know what is. Perhaps Rev. Bowab needs to delve more deeply into what is going on there. A wealth of material is available.

Sincerely,  
Helen C. Broeg  
Chairman, Arlington Peace  
Action Committee

## That Man About Town

### A Column Of Opinion And Comment

By MAT

This Saturday is the last day for filing papers for the town election so we'll soon know what the final line-ups will be. Right now it looks as though the Selectmen's race will be the most interesting.

Chairman John Bullock is running for re-election but incumbent Joe Greeley isn't. And, if John Billafer is elected Treasurer, he'll resign as Selectman so that means whoever runs third in the Selectmen's race will have a good shot at getting appointed to the remaining year of Billafer's uncompleted term.

With all the uproar over the high school situation it will be interesting to see if any of the school committee candidates come out with positions on the issue or just try to ignore it. It is one thing to be a "me-too-er" and something else again to offer constructive alternatives.

The town hall meeting last week on County government was another one of those things where you come away knowing that there is a problem but not knowing really who intends to do something about it in a major sort of way. Legislation has been filed by Jack Cusack that would be a step in the right direction as far as the penal system is concerned but that's little compared with the overall picture.

There is a rumor going around that one of our local elected officials has been approached by certain Republicans about running for County Commissioner. That is political suicide for a Republican but this guy has got just enough ego to think he could win the spot.

And that's what his Republican friends want. He's been so much trouble lately that we're sure a particular group on Beacon Hill would enjoy seeing him go down in flames in a County Commissioner's race.

THE BOX SCORE: Selectmen: all present. School Committee: Coughlin and Kenna absent.

### Praise Scouts

#### TO THE EDITOR:

In these times, there are so many criticisms of the actions of the younger generation that it is a pleasure to report on some of their more praiseworthy accomplishments.

During the Christmas vacation several Boy Scouts of Troop 385, and perhaps others, spent many hours of hard work on the town's park property at the corner of Oakland Avenue and Gray Street. They cut down and piled the underbrush in neat heaps, and also collected the rubbish which had been thrown there by passing litterbugs for a long, long time.

The work was carried out under the direction of Carleton Crockett of 58 Paul Revere rd. who accepted the project as one of the requirements toward his Eagle Scout rating. The appropriate town departments cooperated by promptly removing the piled brush and rubbish.

The area now presents a neater and more attractive appearance than it has for a long time. It is hoped that this will tend to decrease the amount of litterbugging in this area to some extent at least.

We believe that the efforts of these boys deserves a measure of public recognition as well as personal thanks—hence this letter.

It would be very encouraging if other groups would follow this example and carry out similar projects. Arlington would be neater and cleaner, and we believe the participants would get some satisfaction from a task well done.

Sincerely,  
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford E. Lansil  
48 Oakland ave.

### A Jogger's Notes

#### TO THE EDITOR:

Joggers are people too. Fearful, barking dogs nipping at my heels.

Angry motorists blasting their horns, obscenities as they yell from half-opened windows.

Waves, incredulous stares, and happily, sometimes, "Hi Dan, haven't seen you for quite a time."

Often, "Right on," by a passerby...or "Nice day!" or from an oldster, "You've got a lot of courage."

But perhaps most rewarding, a kid or bunch of kids screaming "Hi, Mr. Wolf!" or "My God, that's Mr. Wolf!" "How many miles, Mr. Wolf!"

During my eight years of jogging on the

streets of Arlington, I have heard the voices of hundreds of elementary and secondary school kids bellowing hellos and encouragements.

Maybe it has to do with the fact that I work in the schools...or just, perhaps that it's so terribly odd to witness a middle-aged running for his life. Who can tell?

Responses from kids are routinely pleasant and ego building...encouraging, humorous and hero-worshipping.

Interesting to note more varied responses from adults ranging from extreme pleasure to disgust, from liking to anger...from admiration to jealousy and disdain.

Once when jogging on Gray st. an auto stopped. The man got out, ran some with me, and asked how he could learn to do the same thing.

Once an automobile veered toward me, on purpose, the people inside jeered, stuck out their tongues, acting somewhat bananas.

There are thousands of middle-aged women and men like myself throughout Mass. and the entire U. S. who jog. We engage in this activity for many reasons. Basically, though, it's the cornerstone of a total fitness approach to middle age.

Countless physicians endorse this action, when it's done with the medical okay first—when its structure is consistent with one's own unique physical and emotional needs. It's also a way to just feel good; to be in touch with the world, fresh air, trees, nature, the earth, the sun, wind, Spy Pond, its birds and ducks, not to mention breathtaking sunsets dipping to the west behind Spy.

It's our way to remain trim, healthy, alive! More alert people for our loved ones.

It is our way to show kids and adults that one need not necessarily engage in body contact and or competitive sports to feel like a man...to feel like a woman.

To demonstrate that this is one fine way to find pride in body and mind in our Today Society.

Thanks for listening,  
Daniel Wolf  
161 Mt. Vernon st.

### Sincere Thanks

#### TO THE EDITOR:

Please extend my sincere thanks to the members of the Arlington Fire Dept. Rescue team and Arlington Police for responding to my call to take my husband to the Symmes Hospital on Nov. 24. Again my thanks to them. They are a great credit to the Arlington Fire Dept. and Police Dept.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. George A. Capes  
7 Jason st.

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## In County

# Need For Reforms Is Aired

Costs of county government and need for penal and other reforms in Middlesex County were discussed at a forum in town hall last week sponsored by Citizens for Middlesex County (CMC).

Leon Charkoudian, commissioner of the Mass. Department of Community Affairs, said that a middle level government is needed to deal with problems such as waste disposal, pollution and housing, yet there is no effective regional government and the county is not an effective political entity with which residents identify.

Rep. John Cusack discussed penal reform legislation which he and Sheriff John Buckley have filed. Citing county government in Middlesex County as "expensive" and in some areas "inefficient," Cusack said the 13 county and one state correctional system operating autonomously caused "wasteful overlapping of services" and a \$40 million budget.

Cusack said the typical prisoner is sentenced to a jail where his mail and visitors are restricted, his cellmate may be a hardened criminal, and there is no demand for the skills taught, he said. Prisoners are not rehabilitated and their repeating crime rate is high he said.

Under their bill, Cusack said the penal system would be unified and judges would sentence, but the placement in a specific prison would be handled by professional staff. Federal aid would be available, he added.

Charles Clough, CMC chairman, noted the county responsibility for courts, a chronic care hospital, training school, highways, management of federal and state funds for agriculture and highways and protection of the residents from the French and Indians.

There is so much apathy in county elections that last year's unopposed candidate for commissioner was defeated by blanks, he noted.

He said the courthouse will cost \$40 million more than it was supposed to. When Sheriff Buckley got a \$350,000 grant for rehabilitation and work training the commissioners held it up nine months. It costs \$8,000 a year for a boy in the training school which is not accredited and is staffed by patronage.

Literature distributed by the CMC shows a patronage tree - at the training school the head, supervisor of matrons and director of athletics are husband, wife and son. Other patronage CMC shows stemming from John Dever, Judge M. Edward Viola, Thomas Brennan and Edward Sullivan.

The hospital Clough says is good, but it operates at one-third to one-fourth of capacity, loses \$1 million a year, and has a staff cluttered with nonprofessional staff, including 13 guards, while it lacks nurses.

The highway department, whose budget has grown 320 percent since 1966, went from 50 to 130 employees in the last four years. What CMC is trying to do, he said, is look at how the county functions, bring awareness of the problems and begin to reform. The three commissioners and the treasurer control most of the patronage and spending, and CMC, with three of them up for re-election this year, wants to encourage reform oriented candidates. A reform caucus will be held next month for this purpose.

Rep. Edward Dever, noted that his candidate for commissioner sits there now, apparently referring to John Dever his cousin. It is what is done, not who, that counts he said.

Dever noted that the State Youth Services Board is being decentralized because it did not work the other way. With centralization the initiative of candidates, Buckley and experimenters would be lost, he said.

Dever added if schools should be regionalized, and if so should towns turn to the western towns or inward. He said the time

for asking for regional government is over. The decisions are difficult and have to do with simple things in life, Dever said, and will fail if there is not regionalization.

Rep. William Pickett told the group about the four bills he sponsored for Commissioner Connors. One would put county employees under civil service with merit promotion. Another would investigate purchasing practices in the county.

The third bill seeks a study of programs to prevent juvenile delinquency. And the fourth would establish boards to work on regional problems.

Rep. Eleanor Campobasso said the county needs reform, and although she hasn't filed legislation she has voted for civil service and other reforms. She said she will be cautious before she votes for state takeover of the county.

Citing the "mess" of state welfare and action taken too quickly, Mrs. Campobasso said, "I didn't make the first mistake" (voting for state welfare) and she wouldn't make the first now. If it will be constructive for her constituents who will vote on bill's merits she said.

Selectman Joseph Greeley, who was recently named a deputy sheriff, disagreed with penal reorganization. He said that Sheriff Buckley did not claim it would cost less, but that his proposals would improve the system. "Sure 10 or 11 sheriffs will lose their jobs," he said.

George Rugg, chairman of the Finance Committee, noted that the county costs are \$3 on the tax rate, \$75 this year. Five years ago, he said, county costs to Arlington were \$431,000 and last year they were \$1,090,000. Even if there is no penal reform, he said, "there certainly should be fiscal reform." He added that the county budget is approved by the legislators who are trying to keep raises to 16 percent.

## Dedication Sunday Of Skating Rink As Vets' Memorial

The Arlington MDC skating rink on Summer street will be dedicated as the Veterans' Memorial Rink on Sunday at 10 a.m.

Speakers will include MDC commissioner John Sears and a representative of an Arlington veterans' group. Free skating will be held at the rink after the ceremonies.

Expected to participate in the dedication are Reps. Eleanor Campobasso, who sponsored the bill, Edward Dever, John Cusack and William Pickett, also representatives and color guards from Veterans of World War One, Gold Star Mothers, American Legion, Marine Corps League and Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Disabled American Veterans.

The ceremony will be highlighted by the unveiling of a plaque in the rink's warming room.

## TMA Meetings February 3, 9

The Town Meeting Association will hold two public informational forums in preparation for town meeting on Feb. 3 and Feb. 9. Both will begin at Fox Library at 8 p.m.

Invited to speak next Thursday will be Selectmen Chairman John Bullock, Selectmen William Abbott, John Billaer, Joseph Greeley and Arthur Saul; Sen. Philibert Pelligrini; Reps. Eleanor Campobasso, John Cusack, Edward Dever and William Pickett.

Chairman George Rugg and members of the Finance Committee have been invited to the Feb. 9 meeting. Sponsors of warrant articles who wish to speak to the TMA may make arrangements with program chairman Robert Shaw of 93 Brantwood rd.

## \*Rubbish

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The charge will be effective beginning February 1, 1972. It will be twenty-five (25c) cents per barrel per week or \$13.00 per barrel per year.

For those establishments which are containerized or have compaction units, rates will be determined on a pro-rata basis by the Director of Public Works or his authorized representative.

In the next few weeks a Public Works Department representative will be calling on you to implement and expedite the new rubbish collection fees. He will be glad to answer any questions you may have in this regard at that time.

## \*Warrant

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would request permission to construct by the Housing Authority.

Two articles concern the Menotomy Historical District.

Another article concerns the creation of a building contract or examiner.

Other articles concern a study of open space in the community, appropriations for the conservation committee; appropriation for the 200th anniversary of the town; request to change the name of the town to Menotomy; an article on the weighted vote relative to the Minuteman Regional School Districts and a request to establish a permanent memorial for veterans.

## Five Questions To Appear on Ballot

Five questions will appear on the ballot at Town Election, March 4.

One question asks the following: "Shall licenses be granted in this town for the operation, holding or conducting a game commonly called 'Beano'?"

Another question reads as follows: "Shall

licenses be granted in the Town of Arlington for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages by clubs and war veterans organizations?"

Three other questions concern additions to premium payments in connection with group life and health insurance.



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## 131 Candidates For 98 Seats

The Town Clerk's office will be open, Saturday, Jan. 29 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. the final day for candidates for office to file nomination papers.

According to Town Clerk Mary A. Farington, there are 131 candidates for the 98 town meeting member vacancies to be filled at the coming Annual Town Election, March 4. Included are 58 candidates for re-election. Following is a breakdown by precincts of the existing vacancies:

### PRECINCT VACANCIES CANDIDATES

1	4 for 3 years
2	1 for 1 year
3	4 for 3 years
4	4 for 3 years
5	4 for 3 years
6	4 for 3 years
7	2 for 2 years
8	1 for 1 year
9	4 for 3 years
10	4 for 3 years
11	4 for 3 years
12	1 for 1 year
13	4 for 3 years
14	4 for 3 years
15	1 for 1 year
16	4 for 3 years
17	1 for 2 years
18	4 for 3 years
19	4 for 3 years
20	1 for 2 years
21	4 for 3 years
	1 for 2 years

In Precincts 6-14-15-16 and 19 where candidates have taken out papers for different terms, the number of candidates for each term will not definitely be known until nomination papers are filed.

### Three Injured

Gladys Donovan, 11 Pierce st., Thomas McCauley, 3, and Susan M. McCauley, both of 55 Puffer st., Lowell, were treated at Symmes Hospital, Jan. 21, after a three car accident at the intersection of Waverly and Hillside sts.

Tax deductible donations for Cooke's Hollow, Arlington's newest park, may be sent to the Mill Brook Project, Arlington Garden Club, P.O. Box 222, Arlington.

## Cusack, Buckley File Bill For 1 Penal System

Rep. John F. Cusack and Middlesex County Sheriff John Buckley have filed legislation to reorganize the corrections system now in operation in the commonwealth. It is expected to be heard in mid-February by the Joint Social Welfare Committee.

According to Cusack their bill for a unitary system would relieve taxpayers of the burden of supporting two autonomous systems, and the state would be eligible for federal funds to pay for the cost of the changeover.

The Cusack-Buckley bill would do away with treating crimes and instead would treat the individual. It would set up institutions, initiate programs and hire professional personnel to deal with the physical, psychological and vocational needs of the offender, in an effort to rehabilitate him.

### Winning Streak Stopped At Three

The three game winning streak of the Arlington High gymnastic team was snapped last week as the local team was defeated by North Quincy 78-77 and Brookline, 95-80.

The third victory of the season came over Quincy by a 77-55 score.

First place honors went to Arlington in all events in the win over Quincy. Chris Keefe won the floor exercise event; Jim Cronin the side horse and vaulting; and John Nochella the horizontal bar, parallel bars and rings.

The locals lost their first meet of the season by one point to North Quincy in competition that was not decided until the last event.

North Quincy won the floor exercise and side horse events, while John Nochella took top honors in the horizontal bar, parallel bars and rings and Jim Cronin took first place in the vaulting.

The Arlington team put together its highest point total of the season in the Brookline meet, but could defeat the strong opposition.

John Nochella won a first place on the parallel bars, while Jim Cronin continued to win in the vaulting event.

### Beer Keg Hits Car

John Powers 177 Mt. Vernon st., reported to Arlington police, Jan. 22 that a beer keg had rolled down the hill from Robbins playground during the night and broken the windshield of his car.

## Selectmen Seek Two Meetings

Executive Secretary of the Board of Selectmen Frederick Pitcher was requested by the Board Monday night to set up two meetings and obtain information in a third instance in connection with the transportation future of Arlington.

The action of the Board came after a meeting with the newly re-organized Selectmen's Transportation Committee. Selectman John Balafer requested that a letter be sent to the Cambridge City Council asking that that body explore the cut and cover method of constructing a subway from Harvard sq. to Alewife Brook rather than the deep bore system.

Balafer also requested that a meeting be set up between the Arlington Board of Selectmen and the Cambridge City Council.

Selectman William Abbott also requested that a communication be sent to the Governor and the Secretary on Transportation.

The State officials would be informed that

since the proposed extension of Rte. 2 and the construction of the Inner Belt are no longer being planned then some alternative should be discussed - that being the extension of a rapid transit extension to Alewife Brook Parkway. Selectmen would seek a meeting with the state officials in Boston.

The Board would also state in the letter that the material relative to the Alewife Study contained in the Boston Transportation Planning Review be taken from the report

and action taken on it. Another communication would be sent to the Citizen's Participation Tech Assistance Coordinator, as suggested by member of the Transportation Committee, Murdena Campbell to discuss transportation in the area.

Present at the meeting were transportation committee members - Acting Chairman John Lahiff, Murdena Campbell, Lt. Arthur Guarente, Mrs. Cornelius Greene, Mrs. P. Donahue and Kenneth Cameron.

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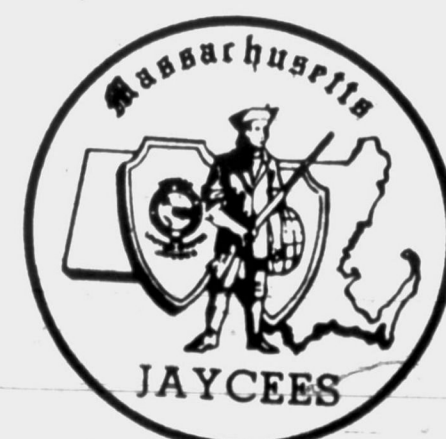
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## 12 Teams In Action In Rec. Basketball

Basketball is one of the main programs under the Recreation Department during the winter months. Organized games are programmed for boys from grades 5 and 6 to adulthood. Boys involved in school basketball are not eligible to participate on Recreation Department teams.

The Elementary League is co-sponsored by the School Department and plays on Saturday mornings. Last Saturday all 12 teams were in action. In the Western Division the Brackett Bucks took over sole possession of first place with a victory over the Stratton Celtics. Mike Garrity, Mike Curran and Phil O'Connor were standouts for the winners while the Celtics had a good game from Tom Awizus, Chuck Patterson and Dave Prince.

The Locke Warriors beat the St. James Rockets behind the scoring of John Dickhaut, Robert Doucette and John Crockett. The Rockets got a strong effort from Steve Montgomery, Chuck Rosa and Shawn McDermott.

In the final Western Division game the Pierce Knicks defeated the Dallin Pistons 13-9 behind the scoring of Bobby McCormick, Jack Flynn and Mark Piercy. Mark Mazola, Dave Finlayson and Frank Quaterri lead the Poston's attack.

In the Eastern Division the Hardy 76ers won their fourth game in a row beating the Thompson Patriots behind the fine play of Mark Collins, Richard Dooley, and Dennis Napoli. Thompson had a good game from Glenn Kerivan, Larry Shultz and Paul Murphy.

The Crosby Royals defeated the Parmenter Hawks 11-5 behind the fine play of Jan Bialach, Glenn Mills, and Lucio Barinelli. The Parmenter team had a good game from Dave Calcaterra, Matt and Mike Hatch.

The Bishop Bulls were beaten by the Cutter Lakers 15-6 at the high school with Bully Curcio, Chris Hughes and Kevin Pallotta playing real well. The Bishop team got a good game from John Caccavaro, Eric Janssen, and Dan McGuint.

The High School League is divided into a Junior and Senior Division with 7th, 8th and 9th grade boys participating in the Junior Division and 10th, 11th and 12th grade boys in the Senior Division. These games are played on Tuesday and Friday nights at the Junior High West.

In last week's action in the Junior Division the Lakers won two games topping the Celtics 35-24 and nipping the Bulls 22-20. Some of the standouts for the Lakers in these victories were Don Caterino, Don Sarozen, Bill Pass and Peter Galligan.

The Bulls and Bucks were 1-1 in the week's action. The Bulls beat the Bucks 29-22 on, some fine play by John Griffin.

Joe Courtois, Steve Tamosh and Tony Tamosh while the Bucks topped the Celtics 23-20 as Tom Mullins, Peter Erikson, Ed Horn and Doug Kenney played well. The Celtics were paced during the week by Paul Johnson, Stan McEwen, Ray Hall and Mark Robinson.

In the Senior Division the Lakers are in high gear as they won two games during the week to stretch their record to 4-1. Nick Sacca, Ed Strob and Jim Donovan played good ball for the Lakers in victories over the Legion and Cougars.

The A.C. Cougars won the most exciting game of the week a 36-35 decision over the Legion. Paul Woods, Paul O'Brien and Danny Williams paced the victors. St. James and Legion were 0-2 in the week's action but had good efforts from their players during the week. Joe Sallak, Andy Leverone and Noel Graydon Paced St. James while Bob Feeley, Art Ales and Lee Barber lead the Legion attack.

In Adult League action on Wednesday evenings at the West Belden & Snow continued undefeated beating the Raiders while BAC beat the Benchmen 56-55. In other games the Sacco Club dumped the Teachers 66-55 and the K of C beat the Mohawks.



**LOWRY ASSIGNMENT.** Airman Charles J. Fisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Fisher of 136 Gardner St., has been assigned to Lowry AFB, Colo., for training in the supply field after completing USAF basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He attended Arlington High School.

### Two Navymen End Recruit Training

MILLINGTON, TENN. Navy Airmen Apprentices Richard Iappini and Gennaro Mauriello have completed the recruit phase of the Navy's "Four-to-Ten-Month" active duty program at Millington, Tenn.

They will complete the remainder of their active duty training at a specialized aviation school. Iappini is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dante Iappini of 102 Grafton St. Mauriello is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Mauriello of 60 Mt. Vernon St.

## Rev. Elder Placed On Delegate Slate

The Rev. John D. Elder of Arlington has been selected to run on a slate of delegates from the Eighth Congressional District in the April Presidential Primary. Reverend Elder is pledged to support Sen. George McGovern at the Democratic Party's convention in Miami in July.

Of 11 delegates and alternates on the mixed slate, seven are pledged to Senator McGovern, three to New York Congresswoman Shirley Chisholm, and one is uncommitted.

In addition of Reverend Elder, the slate includes: Alderman Salvatore Albano of Somerville, Mayor Barbara Ackerman of Cambridge and Rev. John Hinkley of East

Boston, Chairman of the Greater Boston Transportation Committee.

The Arlington McGovern for President Committee has endorsed the mixed slate of delegates. The next full meeting of the committee will be held on Feb. 2, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Phyllis Laveland, 142 Oakland ave.

## Las Vegas Night

A Las Vegas Night is being sponsored by the Mothers' Guilds and Fathers' Club of Boston College High School, to be held Jan. 29 at the high school on Morrissey Blvd., Dorchester, at 8 p.m.

## Site Is Chosen For New School

Walter Verney, Arlington's representative to the Minuteman Regional Vocational Technical School District Committee informed the local Advisory Committee in a progress report held last week that a site has been chosen for the new school.

According to Mr. Verney's report, the site contains about 61 acres and is located between the Minuteman National Park and Mill st. The site is located in the towns of Lexington and Lincoln.

Mr. Verney also reported to the Committee that the District Committee has been awarded a grant of \$5,000 by the Educational Facilities Laboratories, Inc., of the Ford Foundation.

The funds, according to a report presented

by Mr. Verney will be used to defray the cost of preparing education specifications for the new school.

He also went on to explain that the District Committee budget for 1972 is \$84,000, and that Arlington's share of this budget is \$16,296, equal to 19.4 percent of the total budget.

In other action at the Advisory Committee meeting, held January 19 at School Dept. office, Maple st., Chairman James Derba appointed three chairmen of sub-committees. Included were Robert R. Bryant, public relations; Francis Sonnenburg, finance and construction planning and Francis Kirk, education.

The Advisory Committee will hold its next meeting, Feb. 16, at 7:30 p.m.

### 3 Co-Sponsors

Three Arlington residents will be co-sponsors for the Management Development Seminar, Jan. 26-28, at Framingham Motor Inn, Framingham, conducted by the American College of Nursing Home Administrators and the Mass. Chapter of the ACNHA. They are Joseph and Nicholas Allessandroni and Keturah Domina, all fellows of the American College.

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Thursday, February 3  
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Monday, February 7  
Hardy School (Lake Street)  
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Election may apply for  
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foregoing times and places.

No Name can be added to the  
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omissions made by clerical  
error) after ten o'clock P.M. on  
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12,  
1972, at which time registration  
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be held on Saturday, Mar. 4,  
1972. See that your name is on  
the Voting List. If it is not  
there, arrange to appear  
before the Registrars of Voters  
and be registered or you will be  
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Registrars  
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Genoa A-1 Mortadella **98<sup>c</sup> LB.**  
Italian Cooked Salami **58<sup>c</sup> 1/2 LB.**  
Italian Capocollo Ham **88<sup>c</sup> 1/2 LB.**  
Imp. Romano Cheese **\$1.38 LB.**

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## Eighteen Take Out Papers For Town Offices

Eighteen candidates have taken out papers for major office at the Town Election, March 4, with the final date for filing papers only two days away.

Seven of these are in the contest for Selectmen, and six in the School Committee race.

January 27 at 5 p.m. is the final date and hour for obtaining nomination papers.

The final date for submitting nomination papers at the office of the Registrars of Voters is Saturday, Jan. 29, at 5 p.m.

Included among the seven candidates who have taken out papers for Board of Selectmen are: John W. Bullock, Frederick R. Buckley, Dennis J. Dacey, Vincent R. Kearns, James F. Lawson, Jr., Harry P. McCabe and Ronald A. Nigro.

Six candidates have taken out papers in the School Committee contest. They include: Robert H. Murray, John F. Doyle, Robert A. Havern, Ann Klein, Charles H. Lyons and Harold P. Slifer.

Candidates who have taken out papers for Treasurer are John J. Bilaf, William H. Regan, Jr. and Earle R. Rowe.

Mary Farrington has taken out papers for Town Clerk and John B. Byrne for Assessor. Miss Farrington, Bullock, Byrne and Murray are candidates for re-election.

Saturday has been proclaimed as the official day for the Town to celebrate the fifth anniversary of the Arlington Jaycees. At the issuing of the proclamation were left to right: Don Kelson, V.P. of the Jaycees; John Doyle, P.R. Chairman and Jack Donaldson, Chairman of the Board. Seated is Selectman Chairman, John Bullock. (Advocate Staff Photo)

## Anniversary

## Woman Tied Up, Robbed By Youths

An Arlington woman was robbed of a \$1,000 ring and \$40 in cash, Jan. 18, and was left on a couch after her wrists and ankles had been tied up according to Arlington police.

Police report Mrs. Beatrice Breslin, 40 Hutchinson rd., answered her back door bell at about 2:30 p.m. where she was confronted by two youths who asked if her son was home and when they found out he wasn't, pushed their way into the house.

According to police, the men asked her

where a six carat diamond was. They took her upstairs where they ransacked several rooms looking for the ring. After a search, they then took another ring.

The pair then took Mrs. Breslin downstairs, taped her ankles and wrists and took \$40 from her pocketbook, according to police.

Arlington police report that her daughter Barbara, 7, freed her mother on returning from school, at which point Mrs. Breslin called her husband and police were informed of the incident.

## Appointments Are Tabled By Board

Two appointments were tabled by the Board of Selectmen Monday night, while a recommendation by Town Manager Donald R. Marquis was approved by the Board.

The Board approved the appointment of Rev. Thomas M. Kershaw 18 Claremont ave., to fill the vacancy on the Redevelopment Board, effective February 1, 1972, and expiring September 14, 1973.

Tabled were two recommendations by Town Manager Marquis, subject to the approval of the Board. One requested the approval of the appointment of Daniel M. Hooley, 268 Broadway, for a three year term to fill a vacancy on the Arlington Historical Commission.

The second requested the approval of the appointment of Mrs. Malcolm Nicholl, 7 Stony

Brook rd., to fill a vacancy on the Council for the Aging.

Meanwhile, the Board also received a communication from Berg Keshian, 69 Ridge st., submitting his resignation from the Advisory Committee to the Minuteman Regional Vocational Technical School District.

Tax deductible donations for Cooke's Hollow, Arlington's newest park, may be sent to the Mill Brook Project, Arlington Garden Club, P.O. Box 222, Arlington.

## \$2,130 per Family

## Local Instalment Debt \$36,571,000

(Special to The Advocate)

NEW YORK - To what extent have Arlington residents been using installment credit in their purchasing of cars, furniture, washing machines, refrigerators and other big-ticket goods and services?

How large is their debt load at the present time? How well are they handling it?

Most of them appear to be in good shape. They limited their expenditures for costly items in the past two years or so because of their concern over inflation, unemployment and other aspects of the economy. Some of the money that they would normally have spent in such directions went toward reducing their indebtedness.

Nationally, according to the latest figures from the Department of Commerce, the Federal Reserve Board and others, the amount of installment debt outstanding is over \$103 billion. More than one-third of it represents automobile loans.

For the American population generally, the debt is equivalent to about one-seventh of its net income, after taxes.

In Arlington, based upon the national findings and upon local earnings and spending figures, the amount of installment debt

outstanding is estimated at \$2,130 per family.

That is the overall average. Some families owe considerably more than that and some considerably less. Many buy for cash and have no installment debt at all.

Of the families that do, a breakdown by the University of Michigan indicates that those

with incomes of \$5,000 or so owe \$750 on average; that those with \$7,000 to \$10,000 have debts of \$1,300; and those at the \$10,000 to \$15,000 level, \$1,900.

For the Arlington population as a whole, the total outstanding is approximately \$36,571,000. This is solely for installment debt. It does not include home mortgages, charge accounts and single payment loans.

It takes about 15 percent of the net income of local residents, or an average of \$178 per month per family, to meet the regular repayments on this debt.

## 2 Local Teachers Cited By Center

Two Arlington elementary school teachers, Mrs. Eleanor A. Franey and Mrs. Roberta J. Foley of the Thompson School, have been spotlighted as "futuristic" teachers by the New England Program in Teacher Education at the Center for Continuing Education in Durham, N.H.

They have received a special invitation from the center to participate in a recent three-day Teacher Challenge Conference, "The Teacher in 1984" for regional educators to explore patterns for teaching and teaching resources for the future.

Conference planners hope to utilize the vision of "futurists" to probe for possible resolutions and to perceive new modes for teaching and learning in the next decade.

## Regional School Receives \$5000

The Minuteman Regional Vocational Technical School Committee has received a \$5000 grant from the Educational Facilities Laboratories, Inc. of the Ford Foundation.

The grant is for purposes of developing a major new concept in vocational educational facilities. Working closely with Superintendent-Director Samuel Sains on the educational specifications is Alan P. Woodruff, an educational consultant specializing in facilities planning.

## FAMILY CONCERT

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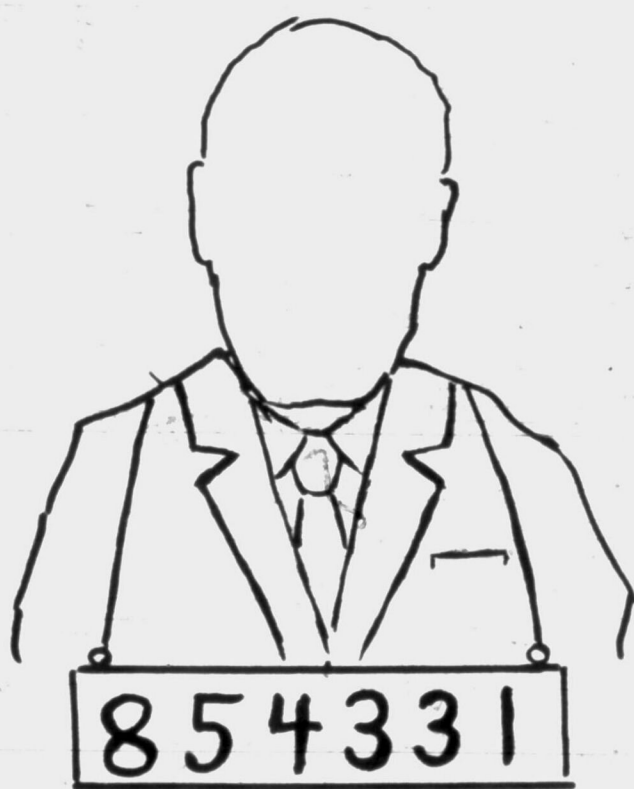
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## Presentation

Jeremiah Keefe, left, Grand Knight of the Arlington Knights of Columbus, receives the plaque of membership in the Hundred Club from Police Officer Amelio Cappella and Fire Lt. Roger Keefe. (Staff Photo by Mike Robinson)

## K Of C Council Joins Hundred Club

The Arlington Council Knights of Columbus recently was accepted as a member of the Hundred Club of Massachusetts.

The Hundred Club was formed in 1959 by a group of men headed by such people as the late Sheriff Howard Fitzpatrick and George Swartz, fashioned after one which had its origin in Detroit, Michigan where 100 men wanted to help the widow and new born baby of a police officer slain in the performance of his duty.

The purpose of The Hundred Club of Massachusetts is described by a section of its by-laws: "To help provide for the widows and dependents of policemen and firefighters, state troopers, registry men, Metropolitan District Commission police, Capital Police, and the sheriffs department of Middlesex County, who lose their lives in the line of duty."

In accepting participating in the club, Grand Knight Jeremiah Keefe of Arlington Council K of C said, "The Knights of Columbus is primarily a charitable organization, and as such I can see no finer way to demonstrate charity than to be able to help the family of a firefighter or policeman. We have a number of men in our council who would benefit from The Hundred Club. I pray that they will never need it."

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## Bar Meets Tonight

The winter meeting of the Cambridge - Arlington - Belmont Bar Association will be held this evening at the Hotel Continental Ballroom in Cambridge. There will be election of officers and directors for 1972.

Guest speaker will be, Superior Court Associate Justice Cornelius J. Moynihan who will discuss the status of his work as Chairman of the Advisory Committee for the complete revision of the rules of trial and appellate procedure.

## Republican Committee Has Meeting

Arlington's elected Republican State Committee members, Cynthia Barone and William Barnstead, recently attended an unprecedented all-day meeting of the committee.

It was the first meeting led by Chairman Robert Hahn who was elected Nov. 22 to fill a brief unexpired term. Hahn outlined a plan for 47 committees, serving under nine sub-committee chairmen, involving 90 persons with well over 200 committee assignments. Eight deputy chairmen were named, five special assistants to the Chairmen, seven Advisory Committee Chairmen as well as other

special assistants.

The activities must all take place in the next three month period as the makeup of the whole state committee will change at the time of the April Primaries and a new election of officers will take place in May.

Committeemen Barnstead and Wahlrab, both former candidates for the position of committee chairman, were listed among eight special assistants and special consultants to the chairman, titles not appearing in the Committee by-laws, according to Mrs. Barone.

Mrs. Barone, without previous knowledge, was

appointed as one of the eight Advisory Committee Chairmen and to other committees as well. Many of the state committee members are already responsible for from 10 to 35 cities and towns.

Included in the agenda was a blanket election of Associate Members which was unanimously voted down by the members.

The At-Large State of Delegates to the National Convention includes Senator Brooke, Governor Sargent, Secretary Volpe, Secretary Richardson, Hon. Leverett Saltonstall, Robert Hahn, Margaret Donohue, Jaye Whittier, Elizabeth Amesbury and Ann Gannett.

## Arlington Friends of the Drama Present FIDDLER ON THE ROOF

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Sun. Feb. 13 at 7 p.m.

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## Cites Background

Earle R. Rowe Announces  
Is Candidate For Treasurer

Earle R. Rowe this week announced his candidacy for the position of Treasurer for the Town of Arlington.

Since this is the only elected position in the town dealing with financial matters, Rowe says that he, as a Certified Public Accountant, would bring to the town government a background of training, experience and knowledge, which is not presently part of town government.

He offers the following quote from the MAT column of The Arlington Advocate of June 17, 1971: "We favor the appointment of a town treasurer for one basic reason which many people seem to have overlooked - the job is strictly administrative and needs a qualified man to do it well, not a politician or a popular vote getter. Will a qualified man always be the same man willing to risk his career at the ballot box, ready to step into the political ring while he could be doing the same work in industry without the fanfare? Since the job is clearly regulated by the general laws and carries no policy making function, the Treasurer need not answer directly to the voters."

Rowe says that as a local practicing CPA he has the training and experience in all areas of financial management, budgeting, forecasting and meaningful management reports and analysis, which is part of the full scope of a full time Treasurers' position. Since various other elected officials and others appoint the town accountant, finance committee, the Treasurer of the town being elected should be knowledgeable in all fiscal matters.

Noting that the courts have stated that the Treasurer should be considered "an independent accounting officer," Rowe says that he meets the requirements of the statute and what the courts have described, also because of his training and qualifications as a CPA he would add a new dimension to the management operations of the town.

Since the position is a full time one, Rowe says he would be available for consulting with the town manager and other town officials in various fiscal matters. He also feels that a qualified person as town treasurer should be involved with any negotiations, meetings and development of the budgets and any matters dealing with the finances of the town.

The statute puts restrictions on what the treasurers' duties are as far as investing of the town monies, so this is not as major an aspect of the position as some feel, he says. Also the treasurer is required by law to be bonded as well as audited by the State Department of Corporations and Taxation. Rowe says that with his training and experience as a CPA and as a full time treasurer for the town of Arlington would be able to deal more effectively with the state auditors.

Rowe has reserved space for the next five



Earle R. Rowe

weeks to give the voters of the town deeper insight of what a CPA is, what the statute states the duties are etc. of a town treasurer, the other hidden aspects and the benefits to the town in completing a management level team by adding a professional CPA, and not a politician or popular vote getter, to the already existing legal department, and other professional management positions necessary to run a business the size of the Town of Arlington.

Wolf And Panel  
Speak Tonight  
At Stratton PTA

All interested residents of Arlington, as well as parents of Stratton School pupils, are invited to attend a special lecture by Daniel Wolf, psychological counselor in the Arlington Schools, and marriage counselor tonight at 8, Mr. Wolf's topic will be "Developing and Improving the Child's Self-Esteem - at Home and in School."

The lecture will be followed by a discussion with the audience and a panel including Dr. Susan Berger, school psychologist, and Mrs. Jean Carey, Director of Social Service in the School Department. This meeting is sponsored by the Stratton School PTA and will be followed by coffee and refreshments.

Communications,  
Women Is Topic  
At Feb. 5 Meeting

For over 25 years, Frances E. Hermann has gathered experience in the field of technical communications. On Feb. 5, she will discuss the current role of women in this expanding field at a public meeting of Theta Sigma Phi, women's journalism society.

The meeting, open to all interested persons, will begin at 1:15 p.m. in the Arlington Library.

Miss Hermann, who has just stepped down as chairman of the Boston Chapter, Society for Technical Communication (formerly the Society of Technical Writers and Publishers), will describe the effects of the massive job layoffs of recent years. She will also give an overview of specific areas involving women in technical communications; discrimination, education, work availability and pay scales.

Miss Hermann has had experience at Arthur D. Little and Polaroid Corp. of Cambridge, and Baird-Atomic of Bedford. Before taking her present position as publications specialist in the Nuclear Reports Group at Charles T. Main Inc., of Boston, Miss Hermann worked as the advertising-public relations assistant for that firm. She edited technical brochures and proposals, wrote promotional literature and resumes, and published the company's house organ.

Catholic Women  
Plan Reception

On Feb. 2 the Arlington Catholic Woman's Club will honor new members, Mrs. Ralph O'Neil and Mrs. Joseph Donovan are chairmen for the reception which will be held at 8 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall. The Arlingtonges will provide entertainment.

Assisting the chairmen are Mrs. William Lanigan, Mrs. Kenneth Sawyer, Mrs. Eugene Cooney, Mrs. Joseph Higgins, Mrs. Thomas

Finnegan, Mrs. Francis Fiekers, Mrs. Bernard Forest and Mrs. Paul Mason.

Vice president Mrs. Alfred Murphy and Mrs. John Lally will welcome new members and introduce them to the club.

Arlington High  
Schedules Series  
Of Job Interviews

The Arlington High School Guidance Department is planning a two-week series of job interviews for high school seniors, beginning Jan. 31 and ending Feb. 11.

Many Greater Boston firms will send representatives to the school. Among them are: Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co., Federal Bureau of Investigation (also open to Junior students), Federal Reserve Bank, First National Bank of Boston, John Hancock Insurance Co., Liberty Mutual Insurance Co., New England Life Insurance Co., Prudential Insurance Co., State Street Bank and Trust Co., W. R. Grace and Co.

These firms not only offer starting positions, but also will help young people continue their education through tuition payment plans while working for the company. A variety of benefits are offered beside salary and tuition including health, life insurance, profit-sharing (in some places), bonus plans, stock option plans.

The preliminary interviewing done during these two weeks will be followed by in-depth interviews, probably during February vacation.

If enough students do not sign up, the series will be cancelled for lack of interest, and students will be forced into competition with all other job-hunters at the time of graduation.

Arlington High School encourages interested seniors to sign up at once. Questions may be directed to Mrs. Rawlings or Mrs. Byam at 648-1000.

## Counselors Plan Conferences Feb. 1

The Arlington High School Guidance Department's program of meeting with parents in the evening, as well as being available during the day, will continue this coming week. On Tuesday, the following counselors will be available between the hours of 7 - 9 in the Main Guidance Office at the high school.

Kathleen Carney who works with students: Senior College Girls A - F; Junior Students Lahl - Law and Q - S; Sophomore Students G - Ky.

Joanne Coakley who works with students: Junior Students Br - Cat and Kea - Keefe E; Sophomore Students Ce - Cu; Freshman Students Ga - Jo and Sn - Z.

Mrs. Mora Rawlings who works with students: Senior Non-College Girls A - K; Junior Students Bar - Boy, I - Jeff and Spa - Z; Sophomore Students A - Bonell and Qu - St.

Parents interested in making an appointment with one of these counselors should call the Guidance Office.

## Hts. Study Club

On Feb. 8 the Arlington Heights Study Club will meet at the home of Elizabeth K. Campbell, 12 Longmeadow rd. Mrs. E. Sohier Welch will speak on "Mental Health."

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# Ronald A. Nigro Is A Candidate For Selectman

In announcing his candidacy for the Board of Selectmen, Ronald A. Nigro has issued the following statement:

There is a dangerous mood in Arlington today. We are beginning to divide ourselves into rival groups. The divisions, among our citizens, have recently surfaced, with the charge of a breakdown in discipline at the High School.

The bitterness and strong feelings that have been stirred up by these events should be a warning to the people of Arlington. We are now witnessing what this type of mood is doing to the city of Cambridge, and we watched what this same kind of mood did to the people of Lexington, last year at the Lexington Common.

We must learn to disagree without being disagreeable.

I believe that we should assume good motives for all of our fellow citizens. We are all working for a better Arlington, each in our own way. The Board of Selectmen should provide the kind of leadership that will minimize the divisions, and should use all the talent in our town, to begin to solve many of the problems facing Arlington.

I am a candidate for the Board of Selectmen. I pledge to you, that as your Selectman, I would be available to work with any citizen or group of citizens, whose aim is a "Better Arlington."

I shall always strive to make each decision, based upon the facts and the merits of the case. I shall remain independent of both thought and action. My goal is simply to be the people's selectman.

Nigro lives with his wife, the former Iris Campbell, and children, Rosemary, age 4, and Ronald Jr., age 3, at 115 Ronald rd. He is a lifelong resident of Arlington and an officer of Dudley Fuel Co., Inc., of Arlington.

He received his bachelor of science degree in business administration from Boston University and LL.B. degree from New



Ronald A. Nigro

England School of Law.

Nigro has been a town meeting member for over five years, and from 1968 to 1970 served as the town manager's appointee to the Arlington Council on Aging.

He is vice president of the Arlington Rotary Club; past president of the Arlington Chamber of Commerce; and was honored by the Arlington Jaycees in 1968 as "Outstanding Young Man of the Year."

In addition, Nigro has served as publicity chairman for the March of Dimes, worked on several United Fund drives, was publicity chairman for the Cancer Drive and is current Heart Fund regional chairman.

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Working on the production staff from Arlington are Jo Meade, Jo-Anne and Tom Granger, Shirley Courtois, Florence Knuefer, Barbara Horrigan, Marion Towle, Dorothy Lansil, Virginia Smith and Ellen Herman.

The musical is being presented on the stage of the Friends' Theater, 22 Academy St., Feb. 10 through the 13, and 17 through 20. The box office will be open at the theater Feb. 5, 2 to 4 p.m. and Feb. 8 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Tickets are available only for the Thursday performances.

Tax deductible donations for Cooke's Hollow, Arlington's newest park, may be sent to the Mill Brook Project, Arlington Garden Club, P.O. Box 222, Arlington.

## AIM Plans March Opera In Arlington

The Adventures in Music Spring Concert Series will feature two performances of "The Beauty and the Bachelor," an adaptation of Donizelli's opera "Don Pasquale," on March 21 at Arlington High School.

This innovative effort by AIM to reach as many children as possible will allow Arlington's grades 3 to 6 to attend the concert as a release time activity in their own community for the first time. Order envelopes for this concert will be distributed by music supervisors in Arlington's elementary schools over a two week period beginning Jan. 31.

The final concert in AIM's 1971-72 series will be presented on May 7 at Lexington High School and the ticket sales for that concert will be handled separately. All children will have the advantage of the series price whether attending both concerts or not.

"The Beauty and the Bachelor" will bring the world of Opera to Arlington children. AIM Music Director Newton Wayland, composer, arranger and Boston Symphony Orchestra pianist, points to three basic problems when presenting opera to young children: operas are too long and must be carefully cut in order to retain a child's interest; the style of singing required by most opera composers is one which values beauty of tone above clarity of

language, and most opera plots are convoluted and at times obscure, especially to young children.

To help solve these problems "The Beauty and the Bachelor" has been trimmed to a manageable 50 minutes, is sung by young, dramatically talented singers who are as careful with their words and they are with notes and tone, provides a geared-for-children narration which will clarify the story for the audience, and is up-dated to turn-of-the-century America to make the story more relevant to mid-20th century children.

AIM, a non-profit, educational corporation of parent volunteers from Acton, Arlington, Carlisle, Concord, Lexington, Lincoln, Sudbury, Wayland, Weston and Winchester, provides inexpensive, high quality performances of orchestral music expressly designed for appeal to children aged 5 to 12. The children are prepared in advance by classroom teachers and music consultants.

AIM believes that the cultivation of taste in the arts is a duty neglected in today's commercialized, desensitized, society, and desires to develop a more integrated program with the school systems of participating towns in order to deepen and expand the cultural experience offered at the concerts.

## Gettysburg Choir Concert Wednesday

The 60-voice Gettysburg College Choir will give a concert Wednesday at 8 p.m. in St. Paul Lutheran Church, Route 2 and Hillside ave.

The 37-year old choir will be conducted by its founder, Professor Parker B. Wagnild, who also established the music department at Gettysburg.

The local concert is one of a series the choir will give on its 13-day tour through Pennsylvania, New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts and New Jersey. Later this spring, the choir will take its third tour abroad giving concerts in Holland, East and West Germany, Czechoslovakia, Austria.

Italy and Switzerland.

In 1970, the choir was selected by President Richard M. Nixon to sing at his Christmas Reception for high-ranking government officials in the White House in Washington, D. C.

## Palsy Drive

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## Ellen L. Mahoney Is Bride Of Michael D'Agnese, Swampscott

St. Camillus Church was the setting of the con-celebrated nuptial mass uniting Ellen Louise Mahoney and Michael D'Agnese. Rev. John D. Shea and Rev. Joseph L. Shea officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah J. Mahoney, 200 Jason st. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. D'Agnese, Swampscott.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore an empire style gown of imported ivory, silk organza with soutache braid trimming designed with a bateau neckline, bishop sleeves, tapered A-line skirt with chapel length train, and a matching Juliet

headpiece studded with seed pearls. She carried a cascade of sweetheart roses with ivy.

Julie Fitzgerald of Swampscott was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Kathy Mahoney, sister of the bride; Maureen Mahoney of Newton; Mrs. Marie Blackader of Rhode Island; and Mrs. Catherine Mahoney of Andover.

Attendants wore purple velvet gowns trimmed with orchid lace and matching velvet bows and flowers. They carried multi-colored colonial heather bouquets.

Roy Goodwin of Swampscott was best man. Ushers were Gerald and Richard

Mahoney, brothers of the bride, Thomas Devine, John Casey, and Lawrence Mangini, all of Swampscott.

A reception was held at the Hillview Country Club of North Reading where Rosemarie Fitzgerald was in charge of the guestbook.

Following a Bermuda honeymoon, the couple is at home in Lynn.



Nancy M. Havern

### Nancy Havern, Stephen Leahy Plan Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Havern of 86 Scituate st. announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Margaret, to Stephen Michael Leahy, son of Mrs. John Leahy and the late Mr. Leahy of Somerville.

A graduate of Arlington Catholic High School, Miss Havern attended Mass. Bay Community College and the Wyndham School. Mr. Leahy, a graduate of the Roxbury Latin School, is a senior at Harvard University.

No wedding date has been set.

### MacGillivray Birth

Mr. and Mrs. William Leonard MacGillivray, 19 Mott st., are parents of a son, William Leonard Jr., born Jan. 11 at Mount Auburn Hospital.

### Golden Age Club

The Golden Age Club will meet Feb. 3 at Pleasant Street Congregational Church, at 2 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by students at the Mary Bertagna School of Dancing. The board will meet at 1 p.m.



Marcia Jane Moore

### Marcia Moore Is Engaged To Dale Gardiner

Mr. and Mrs. William N. Moore Jr. of Arlington, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia June, to Dale B. Gardiner, son of Mrs. Barbara Gardiner of Abington.

Miss Moore, a 1970 graduate of Arlington High School, will graduate in May from the Wyndham Secretarial School in Boston.

Mr. Gardiner, a 1969 graduate of Abington High School, is employed by K and A Plumbing and Heating Co., Inc.

A September wedding is planned.

### Teen Center II Has Square Dance

Members of the Teen Center II, recreation program for the mentally and physically handicapped teenagers of Arlington, recently enjoyed an evening of square dancing at V.F.W. Hall Post 1775.

Dick Steele, veteran square dance caller, donated his time to teach the members and their "buddies" from Arlington High School the basics of square dancing.

A group of square dancers representing one of New England's oldest square dancing workshops, the North of Boston Squares, was on hand to assist the beginners and demonstrate some of the more complicated steps. Those dancers participating in the teaching and demonstration were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Borden of Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Moberg of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith of Stoneham and Mrs. and Mrs. Bert Roy of Arlington.

## Mary Boyle Is Bride-Elect Of Harvard Student

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Boyle, 2 Moccasin path, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Virginia, to Richard Smith Kelly Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Kelly of Wilmette, Ill.

A senior at Emmanuel College, Boston, where she is majoring in art and elementary education, Miss Boyle will begin work for a master's degree at Boston State College in July. She is an instructor in the Arlington Recreation Department, and a member of the Emmanuel College Opera Players and yearbook staff.

A social service worker for the Women's Industrial and Educational Union, Boston, in the "Companions Unlimited Program," Mr. Kelly is a junior at Harvard College in the honors program in English. He is planning a career in law.

A June, 1973 wedding is planned.



Bonita Allen

### Bonita Allen Is Engaged To Wed Mr. Van Keuren

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Allen of Arlington announce the engagement of their daughter, Bonita, to Philip Van Keuren, son of Dr. and Mrs. Howard Van Keuren of South Weymouth.

Miss Allen is a graduate of Wyndham School. Her fiancé is a graduate of Bridgewater State College and is employed by IDS, an investment company.

A May 20 wedding is planned.

### Residents Plan Feb. Mardi Gras

The second annual Mardi Gras will be held by the Young Women's Auxiliary of the Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Church of Greater Boston on Feb. 12, from 8 p.m. to midnight in the Cultural Hall at 145 Brattle st., in Cambridge.

Tak Takvorian and his "Masqueraders" will provide the music. It is recommended that costumes be worn to add to the feeling of fun and gaiety. Prizes will be awarded for best costumes.

Mrs. John Kolligian and Mrs. Richard Zeytoonjian of Arlington are co-chairmen for the affair. Mrs. Bruce Newell of Arlington is in charge of tickets.

### Center Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Center (Shelley Tania) of Honolulu, Hawaii, are parents of a son, Edward William, born Jan. 2. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Aguido Tania of Hawaii and Mrs. Edward W. Center of Arlington.



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